

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

"Turning now to FIGURE 2, system 20 shows information provider 21 having a search engine 22 which searches Internet 100 (or which searches directly) to other locations for requests that include within them information that provider 21 has an ability to deliver. Information provider 21 might search for requests that it does not have the ability to deliver at this time but could go out and purchase, obtain, or create depending upon the perceived market for that information as determined by its continuing search for requests. This search could be, for example, into PC's or other devices located at user's premises which have on them permission for access. In some situations, search engine 22 might only be able to search PC's which are then active on the Internet. Also, information provider 21 could be prevented from downloading any information to a user until an interactive session is held with that user such that both parties agree that what is to be provided matches what is desired to be received. Also, the parties can determine what the media will be for distribution, what the payment will be, if any, and what the various responsibilities and liabilities of the parties are with respect to the information. The information could be controlled by codes or flags and different permission levels could be established for different types of information or for different types of providers. Note that program database 15, FIGURE 1, could, if desired, include system 20."

In the Claims

As provided for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c), a clean version of the entire set of pending claims, whether amended or unchanged, are provided below for the convenience of the Examiner. Attached hereto in the paper captioned "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made" is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current preliminary amendment. Please amend claims 28, 32 and 33 and add claims 61-68.